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Contingency Contracting Support for Deployed Army Forces

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What the heck's contingency contracting?

What the heck's that have to do with me as an intern?



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CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING

- Contingency contracting supports **military operations spanning the operational spectrum**.
 - Disaster relief, humanitarian assistance, exercises and peacekeeping missions.
 - Major contingencies and mid to high intensity conflict.
- Contingency contracting personnel serve as a **proven combat support force multiplier**, allowing commanders to supplement capabilities with goods and services in or near the mission area.
 - Provides commanders enhanced operational flexibility.
 - **Integrates procurement planning into operational planning**.
 - Advises commanders how to integrate combat service support, commercially - available goods and services, assistance - in - and host nation support, Allied and international support, and support from other sources into a cohesive mission support infrastructure.

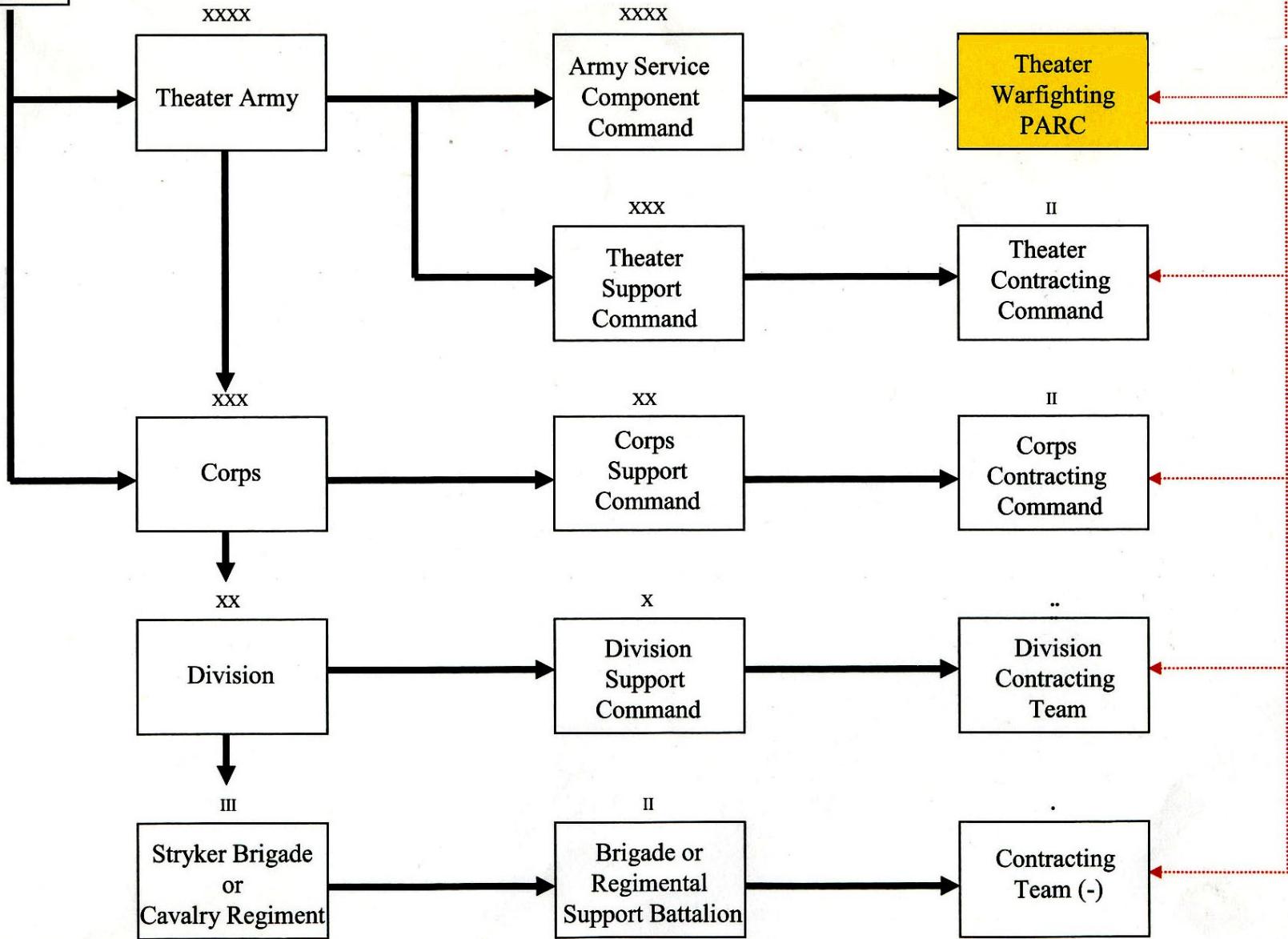


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- **Modular** teams and **cellular** commands replace the practice of assigning individuals to combat and CSS
- 4 - person modular CCO teams form the basic unit maneuver for all Army contingency contracting.
- 100 - person CCO battalions.
 - 20 - person headquarters (with 3 organic CCO teams)
 - Commands 20 more CCO teams and 4 - person teams.
- Deploy organic teams vice individuals (**less tasking**)
- **Contracting commanders who plan the mission control the contracting soldiers performing the mission.**
- Allows collective training and testing of teams/commands
- Staffing a draft basing plan now.

**JOINT
HQ**

HCA



→ = COMMAND AUTHORITY

→ = PROCUREMENT AUTHORITY



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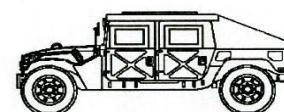
CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING CMD TEAM

PERSONNEL

O4	COMMANDER CONTRC	51C
O3	CONTRACTING MGMT OFF	51C
E7	PROCUREMENT NCO	92A40G1
E6	PROCUREMENT NCO	92A30G1



X4



X2

MAJOR EQUIPMENT

M1025 HMMWV (2)

CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING CMD TEAM

(H86403)

VRC-90F

FBCB2

EPLRS

DAGR



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WAR STORY

MISSION - The XVIII Airborne Corps Contingency Contracting Section supports a 44th Medical Brigade medical civic action (MEDCAP) mission in Eritrea.

CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS

- Equip and supply **10 aid stations throughout Eritrea.**
- Assist medical treatment to repatriate refugees from the ~~civil war with Ethiopia; hand over functional aid stations~~



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FACTS

- 42 operators (doctors, dentists, engineers).
- Support personnel estimated to nearly equal the operators.
 - Food handlers
 - Mechanics
 - Supply personnel
 - Drivers.
- Mission nominated by the Ambassador thru DoS to DoD.
- **Appropriations (OMA, OPA, HCA, ERC, Open Allotment).**
- **Africa's a long way from Fort Bragg**: long supply



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HOW WE HELPED

- Mission planning and advice
- Less supporters and more operators.
- Operational flexibility for the commander.
- Cost savings.
- Local economy and host national self-reliance.
- Dedicated support from planning through closeout.
- Experience planning and supporting similar



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CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING

SO WHAT; I'M NOT A SOLDIER

- Contingency contracting provided by Officers, NCOs and **DA civilians** worldwide.
- Installation Directorates of Contracting worldwide train military contingency contracting personnel.
- Theater Principal Assistants Responsible for Contracting plan then command and control contingency contracting throughout their theater.



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HOW TO FIND OUR REFERENCES

AKO -

https://www.us.army.mil/portal/portal_home.jltml.

Click on **FILES**, then **US ARMY ORGANIZATIONS**, then **ACQUISITION**, then **ACA**, then **ACA HQ CC**, then **CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING**.

ACA Homepage -

<http://aca.saalt.army.mil/ACA/index.htm>. Click on **EXECUTIVE AGENT PROGRAMS**, then **CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING PROGRAM**.

